## Easterling, Deborah

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From:

Easterling, Deborah

Sent:

Thursday, January 04, 2018 9:33 AM

To:

'Robin Weber'

Subject:

RE: Letter of Protest - Carolina Water - Docket # 2017-292-WS

Dear Bryan and Robin Weber,

This is to acknowledge receipt of your Letter of Protest/Comments to the Public Service Commission of South Carolina. Your Letter of Protest/Comments will be placed in the Protest File of the Docket listed below and on the Commission's Website at <a href="https://www.psc.sc.gov">www.psc.sc.gov</a>.

 Docket No. 2017-292-WS - Application of Carolina Water Service, Incorporated for Approval of an Increase in Its Rates for Water and Sewer Services

A Protestant is an individual objecting on the ground of private or public interest to the approval of an Application, Petition, Motion or other matters which the Commission may have under consideration. A Protestant may offer sworn testimony but cannot cross-examine witnesses offered by other parties.

According to the Commission's Rules of Practice and Procedure, filing a Protest does not make you a Party of Record. A Protestant desiring to become an Intervenor (i.e., a Party of Record) in a proceeding before the Commission may file a Petition for Intervention within the time prescribed by the Commission.

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If we may be of further assistance to you, please do not hesitate to contact us.

Sincerely,

Deborah Easterling Executive Assistant 803-896-5133

From: Robin Weber [mailto:rok

Sent: Wednesday, January 03, 2018 10:54 PM

To: PSC\_Contact < Contact@psc.sc.gov>

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Please see attached Letter of Protest. Please advise if you have any questions. thank you

Robin E. Weber

Public Service Commission of South Carolina 101 Executive Center Dr., Suite 100 Columbia, SC 29210



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\* Required Fields

Date: \* 1/3/18

## Letter of Protest in Docket 2017 - 292 - WS

Protestant Information:			A Tracking		
Name *	Bryan and Robin Weber				
Mailing	g Address *				
City*	Fort Mill	State* SC	Zip *	29715	
Phone '	k				
E-mail	· · ·				

 What is your connection or interest in this case? \* For example, are you a customer of the Company that is the subject of this pending proceeding? (This section <u>must</u> be completed. Attach additional information if necessary.)

We are customers of this company as we reside in the Foxwood community.

2. Please give a concise statement of your protest. \* (This section <u>must</u> be completed. Attach additional information if necessary.)

We ask that you please not grant an increase to Utilities Inc. /Carolina Water. The rates are extremely high (our bills for the past year have averaged almost \$200/month). The estmated increase would cause our bill to go up by approximately \$50/month, \$600/year. The service is poor (the meter readers 'estimating' our useage because they didn't want to read the meters is one example). The water quality is poor, and Utilities Inc has not been forthcoming with requested information. Well run companies do not need to increase revenue by 23+% in order to improve service. Thank you.

3. Do you wish to make an appearance at a hearing in this proceeding, if scheduled, and offer sworn testimony? \*



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